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The reply brief filed 10/7/09 has been entered and considered. The application
has been forwarded to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences for decision on
the appeal.

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Joanne Silbermann whose telephone number is 571-272-6653. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F 5:30 - 2:00.

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